



Democrat and Sentinel.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 6.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR. WILLIAM F. PACKER, LYCOMING COUNTY. FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER. NIMROD STRICKLAND, CHESTER COUNTY.

IN EARNEST.

We notice in a number of our exchanges the above heading, calling on their subscribers to square up. We have adopted the same plan by leaving the accounts of quite a number of delinquent subscribers and advertisers in the hands of a proper officer for collection.

The Bill for the sale of the Main Line was the special order in the Senate yesterday. We have not heard the result. The bill appropriating three millions of dollars to the Sandbury and Erie Rail Road Company has passed the House.

The Apportionment Bill is in the hands of a Committee of Conference, consisting of five members from the Senate and five from the House. The bill to increase the fees of District Attorneys has passed the House.

The Amendments to the Constitution. During the last session of the Legislature, four amendments to the Constitution were passed by that body.

The trial of M'Kim for the murder of Norcross is progressing at Hollidaysburg. There are quite a large number of witnesses in attendance from various sections.

A FLOOD AT LAST.—Our county was visited with a tremendous rain on last Friday and Saturday. The Susquehanna was in fine navigable order, and we have no doubt that all the lumbermen have got safely under way.

Our County Court commences on the first Monday of June next, and, judging from the large lists of trials set down for the first and second weeks, it promises to be unusually throng.

THE PITTSBURG UNION.—THOMAS J. KEENAN, the able and accomplished editor of the Union has retired, and has sold his interest to JOHN H. BAILEY & CO.

THE PITTSBURG POST.—Messrs. GILMORE and MONTGOMERY have disposed of the Post to Mr. JAMES P. BARR, by whom it will be hereafter conducted.

HARRISBURG PATRIOT AND UNION.—This paper is about to pass into the hands of R. HARRISMAN, Esq. He is said to be a gentleman of ability and of earnest devotion to the Democratic cause.

W. F. JOHNSON, of Hollidaysburg, a few days ago, lost a valuable horse that he had hired. When near Ashland Furnace the wind being high, a tree fell across the horse, immediately behind the rider, tearing the skirts from his coat and killing the horse.

A spirited fight took place at Wilson's Dam between the log men and those running board rafts on the Clearfield Creek, on Thursday last—three persons reported killed.

The Health of President Buchanan.

The Washington Star alluding to the recent indisposition of Mr. Buchanan, says that it did not continue twelve hours, and that he is now as well and strong as ever.

A peculiar feature of the National Hotel disease is, that it effects the patients by paroxysms. When at its height, they are almost continuous. When commencing to recover, the patient resumes from their operation on his system; first, of a day, then of two days; until, as the disease is evidently wearing off, the paroxysms are the exceptions in the condition of his health.

We sincerely trust that this may prove true. The death of the President would be a national calamity, and it would be deplored by all parties. The New York Commercial says that the remarks of the Washington Star, respecting the periodical return of the disease, are confirmed by the experience of other gentlemen.

Should the Main Line pass into the hands of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, what will become of the numerous forwarding establishments from Philadelphia to Pittsburg? They will all necessarily be "crushed out," for it will be idle for individual enterprise to attempt a competition with that overgrown monopoly.

THE NEW FEE BILL.—We have received a copy of the new Fee Bill, which has been passed by the present Legislature. It is prepared so as to make the fees of Justices of the Peace and Constables correspond with the silver currency of the country.

THE RESIDENCE OF MR. A. A. BARKER, in this place, was discovered to be on fire on Thursday last. The fire was extinguished before any damage was done.

HAIR RESTORATIVE.—We are pleased to be able to record the satisfaction of our patrons, after trial of an article advertised in our columns. We have the satisfaction to know several of our readers who have used Prof. Wood's Hair Restorative and pronounced it just what the advertisement says it is.

TEMPLE OF HONOR.—In accordance with previous arrangements, Conemaugh Temple of Honor was instituted in this place on Thursday night last by D. G. W. T. M. C. McGaughey.

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School Directors' Convention.

The School Directors of Cambria county met at the Court House, in Ebensburg, on Monday, May 4th, 1857, for the purpose of electing a County Superintendent.

The Convention was called to order by electing Wm. Palmer, Esq., as President, and Dr. Charles Walters as Secretary.

The Southern Directors of the county not being present, Mr. G. C. K. Zahn moved that the Convention adjourn until half past two o'clock, in order to give the absent Directors an opportunity to be present.

At 2 1/2 o'clock, the Convention re-assembled. No further nominations being made, on motion of Col. Shaffer, the nominations closed. On the vote being taken, S. B. M'Corrick was unanimously re-elected County Superintendent for the ensuing three years.

A. Koppelin, Esq., moved that the salary of the County Superintendent be fixed at one thousand dollars. Mr. James Kaylor strongly opposed the motion.

WM. PALMER, Pres. DR. CHAS. WALTERS, Secy.

A CHANGE.—Robert Flynn Esq. has purchased the entire interest of G. L. Lloyd & Co., in the Dry Good business at Jefferson.

NEW TIN-WARE ESTABLISHMENT.—It will be seen by an advertisement in to-day's paper that Mr. Wm. Singer, of Carrollton, has opened a new Tin Ware Establishment in this place.

ARRIVAL OF NEW GOODS.—George M' Cann has received his spring stock of goods, which comprises all the late styles and qualities.

FOR SALE.—The Lebanon Advertiser, a Democratic paper, is offered at private sale. The establishment is in a prosperous condition.

FIRE.—The house of Mr. Jacob Garman, in Susquehanna township, in this county, was destroyed by fire on Friday morning last.

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A New Fee Bill.

The following is a copy of a new bill regulating the Fees of Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables, which passed both branches of the Legislature, and was signed by the Governor on the 18th of April.

SECTION 1. That from and after the passage of this act the fees to be received by Aldermen and Justices of the peace shall be as follows:

For issuing precept to lessee in landlord and tenant proceedings, each justice fifteen cents. For hearing and determining complaint, and all other services rendered therein, fifty cents.

For recording proceedings therein, each twenty-five cents. For issuing and receiving returns of writ of restitution, including entry thereof, each justice twenty-five cents.

For a warrant, twenty-five cents. For a commitment, twenty-five cents. Summons for seamen in admiralty case twenty-five cents.

For each dollar above thirty, three cents. (And one half of the said commission shall be allowed where the money is paid after levy without sale, but no commission shall in any case be taken on more than the real debt and then only for the money actually received by the constable and paid over to the creditor.)

For every additional name after the first, two cents. (All witnesses' names to be put in one subpoena unless separate subpoenas be requested by the parties.)

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Thompson's Clock.

There is a clock in your place That regulates the town. With tiny hands and pretty face, Though it looks old and brown.

There is a clock in your place— AT THOMPSON'S store 'tis found; 'Tis called the REGULATOR here, And rarest clock in town.

This Thompson keeps on Clinton street, The clock is in his store, And has been running, without fault, Four thousand years and more.

The wheels are made of wood and brass, And all seem pretty sound, And low my last advice, dear Tom, Is, set it as you go, And buy some boots in place of those Bought twenty years ago.

The most skeptical people can be convinced by trial that all the family medicines are not humbug and that among the thousands of butterfly life there are a few of great merit and undoubted worth.

One or two doses are said to cure a cold with scarce a failure. It is worth a trial for this alone. It is particularly adapted to the use of ladies, particularly those of sedentary habits.

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Sheriff's Sales.

BY VIRTUE of sundry writs of Vendition Exposita, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to sale by public outcry, at the Court House, in the borough of Ebensburg,

1. All the right, title and interest of John M'Gough, Samuel M'Gough and Peter M'Gough, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Washington township, Cambria county, containing eighty six acres, more or less, about seventy-five acres of which are cleared, and having thereon erected a hewed log house and bank barn, now in the occupancy of Joseph and Jesse M'Gough.

2. ALSO—All the right, title and interest of Benjamin Jones, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land, situated in Carroll township, Cambria county, adjoining lands of Jacob Neff and others, containing one hundred and twenty acres more or less, about thirty acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a two story dwelling house, and a bank barn, now in the occupancy of Samuel Fleener.

3. ALSO—All the right, title and interest of Samuel Fleener, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land, situated in Sumnerhill township, Cambria county, adjoining lands of John Murray, Daniel Wright and others, containing one hundred and twenty acres more or less, about thirty acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a two story dwelling house, and a bank barn, now in the occupancy of Samuel Fleener.

4. ALSO—All the right, title and interest of Jacob Pringle, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land, situated in Sumnerhill township, Cambria county, adjoining lands of John Murray, Daniel Wright and others, containing one hundred and twenty acres more or less, about thirty acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a two story dwelling house, and a bank barn, now in the occupancy of Samuel Fleener.

5. ALSO—All the right, title and interest of Peter Kerr, deceased, in the lands of the administrators of the said deceased, of, in and to a tract of land, situated in Allegheny township, Cambria county, (at the place called Tunnel Hill), adjoining lands of Richard Kane, and Glover and Wiley, having thereon erected a two story frame house, now in the occupancy of George McCalley.

6. ALSO—All the right, title and interest of John Harris, William Jones and others. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of James Ross for the use of John Fenlon.

7. ALSO—All the right, title and interest of David M'Isaac, of, in and to two lots of ground, situated in the town of St. Augustine, Clearfield township, Cambria county, one of said lots adjoining lots of George Smith on the east, and John Zerbe on the west, having thereon erected a two story frame house, now in the occupancy of John M'Foley, the other of said lots adjoining lots of David Kries on the east, and Joseph Myers on the west, unimproved.

8. ALSO—All the right, title and interest of James Young, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land, situated in the town of St. Augustine, Clearfield township, Cambria county, one of said lots adjoining lots of George Smith on the east, and John Zerbe on the west, having thereon erected a two story frame house, now in the occupancy of John M'Foley, the other of said lots adjoining lots of David Kries on the east, and Joseph Myers on the west, unimproved.

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